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re Application of:

Charles C. Brackett : Group Art Unit: 3626

Serial No.: 09/557,153 : Examiner: Frenel, V.

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Title: IMAGING SYSTEM HAVING MEANS FOR
CREATING, MANAGING AND SELECTING
FROM A LIST OF EXAM DESCRIPTIONS

Hon. Commissioner of Patents & Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on October 8, 2002 in the above-referenced patent application, the Applicant hereby requests reconsideration of the application in light of the following arguments, and further requests a one-month extension of the term for response. A Petition Requesting One-Month Extension of Time is being filed concurrently herewith.

REMARKS

In the Office Action, all claims (1-18) stand rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as being unpatentable over U.S. Patent No. 6,272,470 to Teshima in view of U.S. Patent No. 5,734,915 to Roewer. The Applicant traverses the grounds of rejection for the following reasons.

In the first place, the Applicant objects to the manner in which the Examiner quotes a limitation in a rejected claim and